



# Media Announcement

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## And the Emmy® Goes To ... KCPT!

The Mid-America Chapter of the National Academy of Television Arts & Sciences (NATAS) awarded the 35th Annual Mid-America Emmy® Awards Saturday night at the Renaissance Grand Hotel in downtown St. Louis.

KCPT received two *Emmy*® awards.

Historical/Cultural: Program/Feature Category: Pamela James and Randy Mason for

### ***The History of World War I***

This is the first of a four part series featured in a magazine show highlighting the National World War I Museum in Kansas City. WWI is an often over-shadowed time in our world's history due to subsequent wars. Still WWI was a war of many firsts.

Public/Current/Community Affairs: Program: Nick Haines and Sean Holmes for

### ***The Local Show***

THE LOCAL SHOW examines some of the most pressing concerns surrounding mental health care on both sides of the state line. Nick Haines picks apart this most misunderstood, underreported and underfunded area of American medical care. Regional decision makers, doctors and mental health experts explore the consequences of state budget cutbacks in both Kansas and Missouri that have gutted prevention and treatment programs.

### ***About NATAS Mid-America Chapter:***

*The National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences is dedicated to the advancement of the arts and sciences of television and the promotion of creative leadership for artistic, educational and technical achievements within the television industry. It recognizes excellence in television with the coveted Emmy Award. For more information please visit [www.emmymid-america.org](http://www.emmymid-america.org)*

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KCPT is a nonprofit, community-owned television station serving the greater Kansas City area that provides programming and services—on air and off—that entertain, educate and enrich the community. For more information about KCPT's programs and services, or to become a member and support public television in Kansas City, please go to [www.KCPT.org](http://www.KCPT.org).